

# SSC Construction Inspection Safety findings

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# Construction Safety Findings: 30 January-05 February 2009

- **Findings Total: 0**

- **Serious Findings: 0**

- **Less than Serious Findings: 0**

- **Mishaps: 0 / Close Calls: 1**

- **Close Call: 1**

- During an excavation activity, a contractor damaged a buried ground wire that was not located or identified on any drawings.

# Construction Safety Findings: 06-12 February 2009

## ■ Findings Total: 1

- Serious Findings: 0

- Less than Serious Findings: 1

- A worker was exposed to a fall of greater than six feet without proper fall protection. 1926.501

## Mishaps: 1 / Close Calls: 2

### ■ Mishap: 1

- An electrician cut the top of his right index finger on the side of a metal receptacle box while attempting to pull wire. The injury resulted in three stitches.

### ■ Close Call: 2

- During an excavation activity, a contractor damaged a buried 120 volt electric wire and conduit that was not located or identified on any drawings.
- Contractor was working in close proximity to a buried transite water line with a large excavator when the water line ruptured from the weight and vibration. The location of this line was known by the contractor.

## Construction Safety Findings: 13-19 February 2009

- **Findings Total: 2**

- **Serious Findings: 0**

- **Less than Serious Findings: 2**

- Four different Acetylene bottles found on site that were not properly secured. 29 CFR 1926.350
    - Three different fans found in use on site that were missing ground pins. 29 CFR 1926.404

- **Mishaps / Close Calls: 0**

# Construction Safety Findings: 20-26 February 2009

## ■ Findings Total: 2

### - Serious Findings: 1

- A worker was in an open excavation without proper protection from a cave-in. 29 CFR 1926.651

### - Less than Serious Findings: 1

- A worker was using an electric power-operated tool without GFCI protection. 29 CFR 1926.404

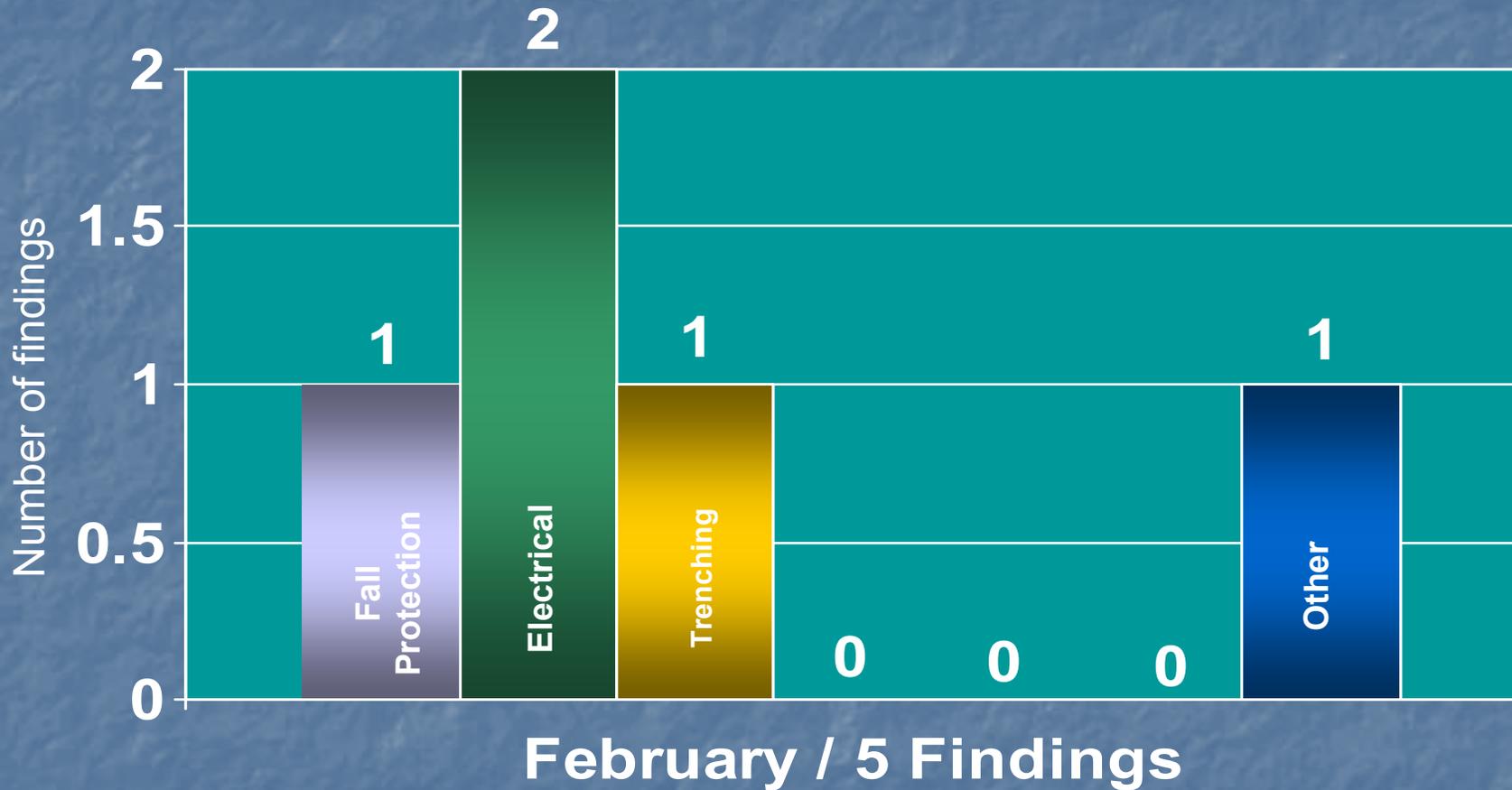
**Mishaps / Close Calls: 0**

# Summary

- **Total Findings: 5**
- **Serious Findings: 1**
- **Less than serious Findings: 4**
- **Close Calls: 3**
- **Mishaps: 1**
- **Injuries: 1**

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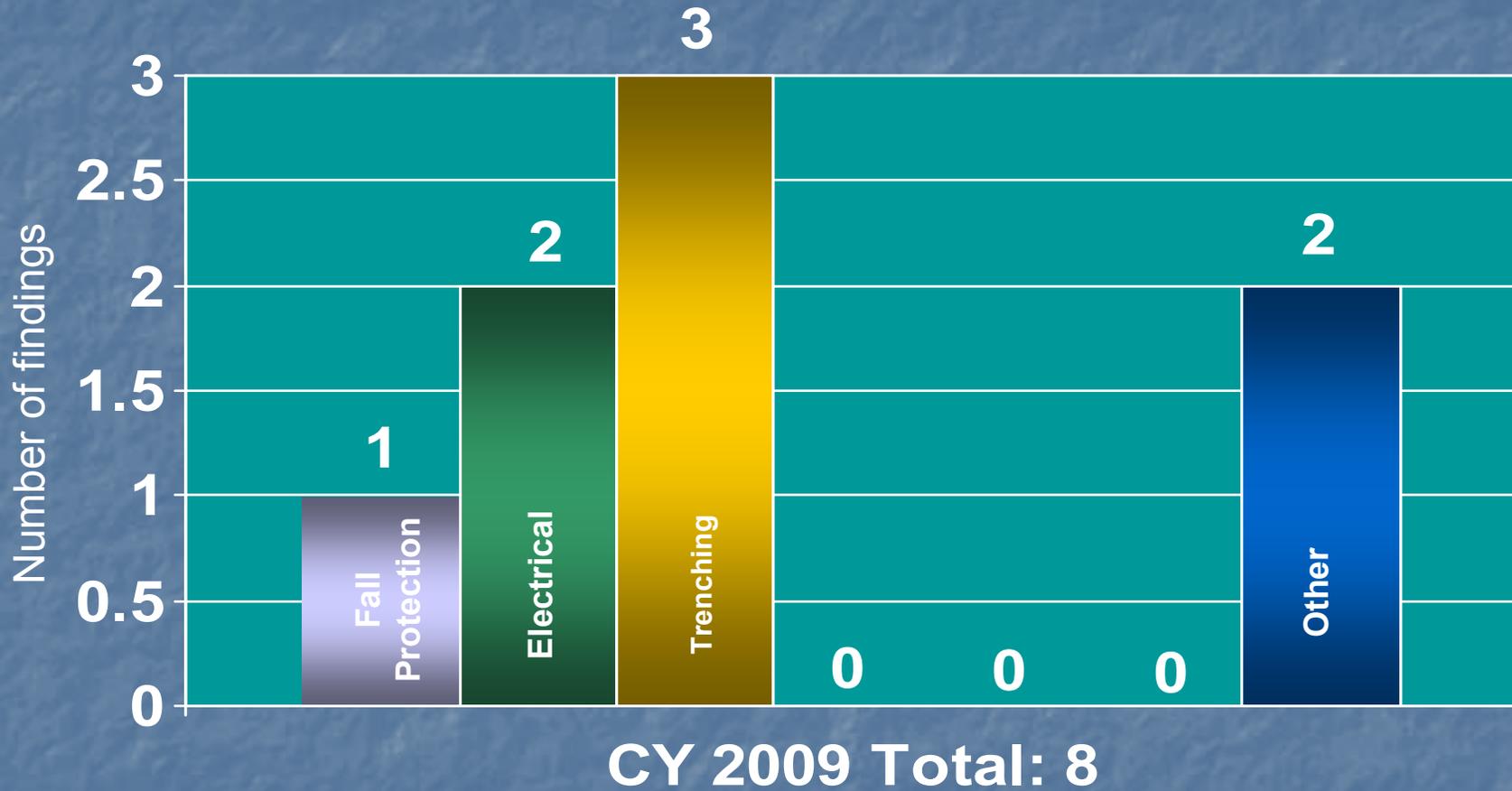
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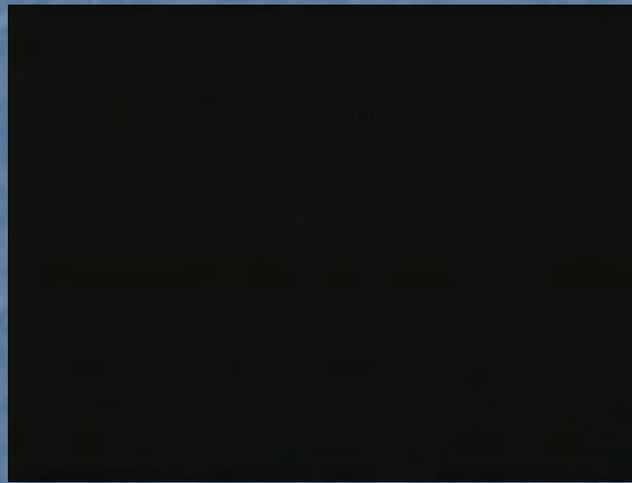


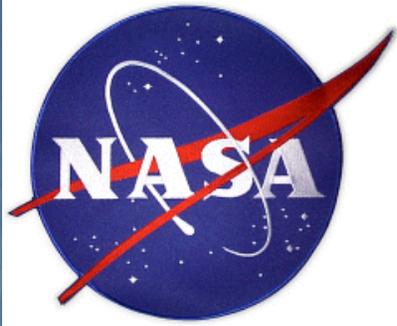
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# Confined Space Entry

- The following video demonstrates how **NOT** to enter a confined space!

Did you have a rescue plan for  
this?





Expect the unexpected.  
Gear up for safety.

